

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1597 - HB 1554

February 22, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Reduces the penalty for driving on a canceled, suspended, or revoked driver license by reducing it from a Class B misdemeanor to Class C. Reduces the maximum fine from \$1,000 to \$50 and reduces the maximum period of incarceration from 6 months to 30 days. Community service may be substituted for or used to reduce the fine or incarceration time.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenue - Exceeds \$150,000

Decrease Local Govt. Revenue - Not Significant

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate based upon 17,000 fines collected in fiscal 95/96 with an average fine of \$60. Assumes sentences currently do not exceed 30 days in most cases.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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